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IN RE APPLICATION OF :  
YOSHIFUMI SUZUKI, ET AL. : EXAMINER: SEFCHECK, GREGORY  
SERIAL NO: 09/741,894 :  
RCE FILED: HERewith : GROUP ART UNIT: 2662  
FOR: PACKET COMMUNICATION :  
METHOD, NODE APPARATUS AND  
PACKET COMMUNICATION SYSTEM

AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

Responsive to the Official Action of December 16, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 15 of this paper.